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// 1 //

Hello...?

Tell me... Where am I?

// 2 //

I remember...

Hunger...

Darkness...

// 3 //

Am I alive?

// 4 //

I have to be alive... I told her...

Who is her?

// 5 //

Her...

Bumblebounce...

Yes, that's her.

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Bumblebounce. She made me promise. I did promise.

I swear.

I swore I would survive.

//7//

I told her. I wanted to be her mate.

But I must be dead.

// 8 //

Where would this darkness be coming from?

Unless it was just me.

// 9 //

Maybe it's coming from the inside.

Maybe I'm crazy.

// 10 //

Maybe I need to just open my eyes.

I'll see.

// 11 //

I can hear the distant calling of my name. A cry of "Birchpuddle, please."

I need to wake up. Bumblebounce is out there. She needs me.

// 12 //

So, I do. I open my eyes.

There she is.

My love. The grey tabby.

// 13 //

I cough weakly. I feel my lungs rattle, and my body shake with the effort.

I'm weak.

// 14 //

"Bumblebounce..." I say, my voice hardly more than a whisper. "Stay away. I don't want you to die, too."

"I won't, I love you. I won't." She purrs reassuringly. "Don't die. You're our medicine cat. Newtberry is dead. She caught greencough, too. Please, don't die..."

// 15 //

"Newtberry...? No... She can't be dead."

"She is, Birchpuddle. She is. You are our medicine cat. You cannot die." Bumblebounce purred. "And I cannot love you."

// 16 //

I lifted my head up, my vision spinning, but ignored it, probably a stupid idea.

"Send out warriors for catmint. We need more. Everyone... We need catmint. Bring me the rest. It's in the back corner." I mewed, needing the secret stash.

It was necessary.

// 17 //

"O-of course." Bumblebounce mewed, running and grabbing it. "Take this."

I ate the catmint, feeling a bit of strength return to my limbs.

// 18 //

A/N: I swear it gets better. Don't stop reading. It's a bit boring in the beginning.

I stood up, blinking. I ran to the entrance, stumbling a bit. I spotted almost no cats in the camp.

"Where is everyone?" I mewed, turning my head to Bumblebounce. "Where are they?"

// 19 //

I watched Bumblebounce hesitate, furrowing her cat brows.

"They're sick. Almost everyone. You were gone for a half-moon." She mewed, looking at the ground.

// 20 //

I felt anger bloom inside myself. I felt my heartbeat quicken, and a red haze appeared before my eyes.

"Why didn't you save them?" I hissed. But it wasn't me. What was I doing?

I felt my claws dig into the ground.

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I felt my claws dig into the ground as Bumblebounce took a step backwards, fear in her eyes.

"I-I didn't know how to save them..." She quivered, her eyes wide.

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"You are a failure." I growled, stepping forwards. "Test 328 has failed."

I felt my voice grow automated. What was it?

// 23 //

"You will be terminated. Forever."

I watched as Bumblebounce's eyes grew wide.

"W-what? Terminated? Please, Birchpuddle, no!"

// 24 //

"Birchpuddle..." She cried... "I loved you! Please... Don't..."

"Ending." The voice said. "3..2..1."

// 25 //

I closed my eyes after 1 came.

All I could hear was the mangled cry of my one true love, as she fell to the ground, never to be seen again.

// 26 //

I opened my eyes, my heart falling to the bottom of my chest at what I saw.

She was...

// 27 //

Dead.

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Her throat was torn open, her once light gray fur stained red from the blood that gushed from her throat.

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I let out a cry of pain.

// 30 //

Bumblebounce's eyes. The pale green irised stared into the sky, expressionless.

But everything disappeared. It was all gone.

// 31 //

I opened my eyes, my vision blurry.

// 32 //

I head the cry of a she-cat, and I closed my eyes again, thinking they had found Bumblebounce's body.

But I peeked out, to see myself sitting next to kits.

// 33 //

Kits? I thought. *This can't... Yes it can. No. Yes, you are a kit. I am a kit. I've always been a kit.*

// 34 //

And then, my memories were gone. All of them. I was a kit.

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It seemed like life was slow motion.

I, Bramblekit, had waited what seemed like seasons for my apprentice ceremony.

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My siblings were there. They sat next to me, prideful.

Bumblekit-

// 37 //

A thought triggered in my mind. *Bumble... What is important about Bumble?*

// 38 //

Nothing was important.

// 39 //

I looked up to Greenstar, his black fur blowing in the wind while his yellow eyes were lit pridefully.

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He was my father.

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He said we were the best kits, but he always looked at Foxkit strangely.

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Foxkit was fun. I didn't know why my father looked at her strangely.

// 43 //

According to my father, she was different.

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She was "mentally handicapped."

// 45 //

She just didn't speak. There was nothing wrong with that.

// 46 //

But then, it all happened. I was an apprentice, Bramblepaw, and Bumblepaw, too.

// 47 //

But not Foxkit.

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Suddenly, a warrior jumped toward my sister, pinning her to the ground.

// 49 //

Greenstar jumped down.

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"Foxpaw cannot survive, so she will not." Were his words.

// 51 //

He narrowed his eyes, placing his jaws around her throat. She squealed.

// 52 //

He bit down and pulled back, blood dripping from his jaws.

// 53 //

No more sound came from Foxpaw. She was gone.

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I asked my father to go out.

// 55 //

We were in the forest, and something felt right.

// 56 //

"I loved you." I said. "But you killed my sister."

// 57 //

"Test 329 has failed." My voice grew automated again. "You will be terminated forever."

// 58 //

I felt myself move. I would never kill him, but the machine would. It took over my body, and reached out, snapping my father's neck before he had time to think.

// 59 //

He was gone. And so was I. I remembered Bumblebounce, and all the others, but just for a moment.

// 60 //

I opened my eyes, remembering what I had done before, in my last life.

// 61 //

I expected the same thing to happen, but all I could hear were loud yowls.

// 62 //

//Those// were my parents. I just knew. They were not happy.

// 63 //

"You little-"

I heard a crash, and then, nothing.

// 64 //

My mother came over, and grabbed just me. Not my brother, who lay next to me.

// 65 //

We ran.

// 66 //

We forever ran.

// 67 //

My kithood breezed by, and I met a she-cat. Her name was Xera.

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She possessed a simple beauty, and I liked it.

// 69 //

So I told her.

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I remember her blushing. We were about 9 moons old at the time.

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I also told her another thing.

// 72 //

I told her to have my kits, and we could live forever together.

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She agreed, and so, we had kits.

Their names were Geppala, Neandra, and Bearu.

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They were beautiful.

// 76 //

When they stayed alone for a while, Xera and I entered the forest, talking quietly.

// 77 //

Xera stopped.

"I'm dying.. I'm sick. I'm going to die."

// 78 //

"No..."

// 79 //

"I will not live much longer. I'm sorry."

// 80 //

"I love you."

// 81 //

Xera died a few days later. Our kits were three moons old.

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I felt an anger grow inside me.

// 83 //

"It's your fault!" I yowled at the kits. But it wasn't me.

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"All yours!"

// 85 //

My kits were scared.

// 86 //

"Test 330 has failed."

// 87 //

"You will be terminated."

// 88 //

"All of you."

// 89 //

I tried to fight back. I knew what would happen next.

I'm sorry.

// 90 //

"Goodbye, kits..." I cried.

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I felt tears exit my eyes.

// 92 //

Then, something else happened.

// 93 //

My fears disappeared.

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My kits stood before me.

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"P-papa?" Bearu stuttered, his eyes wide. "Are you going to kill us?"

// 96 //

"No."

// 97 //

The one simple word sent my systems crashing. I was against it.

// 98 //

"Goodbye, kits... I love you."

The world disappeared in front of me.

// 99 //

"It has failed." I heard an alien language spoken. "We were unsuccessful. We must start again."

// 100 //

I wasn't

U N S T O P P A B L E.

End!

Hey! You reached the end!

So, if you hadn't guessed, it was like a sort of alien creature test, where they were trying to eradicate cats.

There were a bunch of them, all around the world, so whenever they killed the victim, they would change into a different cat.

He traveled from Germany, where he was in the Black Forest, to South America, where he was in the jungles, to, lastly, Australia, where he lived close to the capital city.

This was somewhat influenced by A Dog's Purpose.

Thanks for reading! I hope you enjoyed it.

I might make two, though. The next one centering around the alien creatures, instead of the cats.

So, um, questions!

Who was your favorite character?
Favorite name?
Favorite couple?

Bye! ;3